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PATENT APPLICATION

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PROTON EXCHANGE MEMBRANE MATERIALS
BASED ON SULFONATED POLY(PHTHALZINONES)

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STATUS INQUIRY

The captioned application was accepted for national patentability examination on
October 6, 2005, and no action has been received to date.

Action would seem long overdue and advice as to when that can be expected
would be sincerely appreciated.

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